

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of claims:

1. (Original) A sealing material for liquid crystals comprising: (A) as a curing resin a mixture of (a) an epoxy group-containing curing resin and (b) a (meth)acryloyl group-containing curing resin, or (c) a curing resin containing an epoxy group and a (meth)acryloyl group; (B) a radical-forming photopolymerization initiator; (C) an isophthalic acid dihydrazide having an average particle diameter of 3 μ m or smaller; and (D) a filler having an average particle diameter of 3 μ m or smaller.
2. (Original) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to claim 1, wherein (b) (meth)acryloyl group-containing curing resin is (meth)acrylate of difunctional or more epoxy resin.
3. (Original) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to claim 1, wherein (c) curing resin containing an epoxy group and a (meth)acryloyl group is a partial (meth)acrylate of difunctional or more epoxy resin.
4. (Original) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to claim 3, wherein the partial (meth)acrylate of difunctional or

more epoxy resin is obtained by subjecting a difunctional or more epoxy resin to an esterification reaction with a (meth)acrylic acid of 20 to 80% equivalent of the epoxy group.

5. (Original) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to any one of claims 2 to 4, wherein the difunctional or more epoxy resin is a bisphenol-type epoxy resin.

6. (Original) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to claim 5, wherein the bisphenol-type epoxy resin is a bisphenol A-type epoxy resin.

7. (Currently amended) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to any one of claims 1 to ~~6~~ 4, wherein (B) radical-forming photopolymerization initiator is a carbazole-based initiator.

8. (Currently amended) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to any one of claims 1 to ~~6~~ 4, wherein (B) radical-forming photopolymerization initiator is an acridine-based initiator.

9. (Currently amended) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to any one of claims 1 to ~~8~~ 4, wherein (D) filler having an average particle diameter of 3 μ m or smaller is an inorganic filler, and a content of the inorganic filler is in a

range from 5 to 40% by weight in the sealing material for liquid crystals.

10. (Currently amended) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to anyone of claims 1 to 9 4, further comprising (E) a silane coupling agent.

11. (Original) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to claim 10, wherein (E) silane coupling agent contains an amino group.

12. (Currently amended) The sealing material for liquid crystals according to any one of claims 1 to ~~11~~ 4, further comprising (F) a core-shell structural cross-linking rubber.

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Cancelled)